

UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY REGION IX

75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105

October 28, 2015

Ms. Judith Buethe and Mr. Douglass W. Wilhoit, Jr. Greater Stockton Chamber of Commerce 445 West Weber Avenue, Suite 220 Stockton, California 95203

Dear Ms. Buethe and Mr. Wilhoit:

The US EPA has received your letter dated October 23, 2015 regarding the Bay Delta Conservation Plan/California WaterFix and your concerns that project would have adverse economic and water quality impacts on the greater Stockton area. EPA is reviewing the Bureau of Reclamation's Supplemental Draft Environmental Impact Statement regarding the proposed project. We will submit our comments to Reclamation by October 30, 2015, the end of the public comment period. Our comments will also be posted at http://www2.epa.gov/sfbay-delta/bay-delta-conservation-plan-epa-documents, along with our previous comments on the Bay Delta Conservation Plan Draft EIS.

Thank you for taking the time to provide us with your thoughts about the proposed project.

Sineerely,

Kathleen Martyn Goforth Manager

Environmental Review Section

US Environmental Protection Agency